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DON'T MISS THE "FUNDING THE FUTURE OF RENEWABLE ENERGY" CONFERENCE COMING FEBRUARY 15TH

Lincoln, Neb., January 30, 2007 –Register Today! The February 15, 2007 "Funding the Future of Renewable Energy" conference is approaching quickly.

Thomas C. Dorr, Under Secretary for USDA Rural Development will be the Keynote Speaker. The conference will integrate technical expertise with rural innovation to increase Nebraska's renewable energy portfolio. Conference is one-day, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the East Campus Union in Lincoln, Nebraska. Panel style discussion will be offered where registered attendees will interact with experts from entities such as the National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Nebraska Public Power District, Nebraska Commodity Boards, experts from the university as well as private wind developers, financial resources and Federal and state representatives.

To learn more about the conference or to register, please contact USDA Rural Development at 402-437-5551 or you can email karissa.hagedorn@ne.usda.gov. The conference is open to all.

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